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Mr. Paul Feltch
Uintah County Road Department
1489 East 335 South
Vernal, Utah 84078

Subject: Proposed Reclamation, Uintah County Asphalt Mine, M/047/022, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Feltch:

We have recently received information from Crown Asphalt Ridge, LLC regarding their plans for reclamation of the Asphalt Ridge Mine. While their plans are acceptable to us, we recognize that some of their plans may affect Uintah County and will certainly factor into what Uintah County plans to do at this site, whether it be mining or reclamation.

We are writing this letter to encourage you to work closely with Crown Asphalt Ridge, LLC, so that final reclamation plans for this site can proceed without having conflicts between the different permittees. Making sure that all parties understand their respective reclamation obligations now may prevent potential conflicts when the reclamation is actually happening.

We appreciate you keeping us informed of your progress. Please call me at (801) 538-5325 or Paul Baker at (801) 538-5261 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Regulatory Program

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